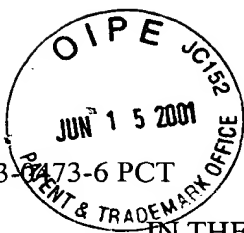


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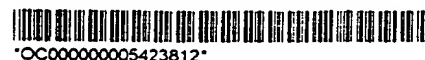
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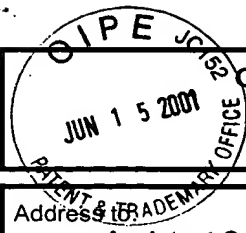
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This is a request for a ☒ continuation or ☐ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(d) (continued prosecution application (CPA)) of prior application number 09/402,472 filed on November 30, 1999 entitled **INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE EXHAUST DEVICE AND METHOD FOR MAKING SAME**

- ☒ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed May 2, 2001 under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application.
- ☐ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
- ☐ This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application, 37 CFR 1.53 (d)(4)
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